

Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace paragraph 1 on page 1 with the following amended paragraph:

The present application claims benefit of priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. ~~(to be determined)~~ 60/488,958, entitled Peritoneal Dialysis Security Band, filed ~~(date)~~ July 22, 2003, and naming Sheila Shaw as inventor, which is herein incorporated by reference in its entirety.